

Next Week's Services

Sunday 14th January : Second Sunday of Epiphany

- 9.30am Morning Prayer (BCP) at St Michael's, Catwick
Mr Oliver Todd
- 9.30am Holy Communion at St Augustine's, Skirlaugh
Rev Mo Desborough
- 9.30am Morning Prayer at St Mary's, Swine
Mrs Catherine Drake
- 11.00am Holy Communion at St Margaret's, Long Riston
Rev Mo Desborough
- 11.00am Holy Communion at St John the Baptist, Bewholme
Fr Lawrence Trender & Mrs Catherine Drake



From the Vicar

Hello All,

Happy New Year! Are all the decorations down yet? Or are you brave enough to leave them up until Candlemass (2nd Feb) like people used to do? I'm sure most of us want to get back to a bit of normality after Christmas; get back into our usual routines. But the problem with this attitude is that we can dismiss any possibility for change or transformation that may have been sparked in us over

Christmas (It's no wonder New Year resolutions often fail!) During Epiphany we concentrate on the times in Jesus' life when aspects about him were revealed to those around him. No one who encountered these epiphanies were left unchanged. So rather than "getting back to normal" why don't we do something: be something different instead?

Yours in Christ
Revd Andy

Please note : the Vicar 's day off is Friday

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This Week's Services

Sunday 7th January : Baptism of the Lord

- 9.30am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Michael's, Catwick
Rev Mo Desborough
- 9.30am Sung Eucharist at St Augustine's, Skirlaugh
Rev Andy Simpson
- 9.30am Morning Prayer at St Mary's, Swine
Miss Helen Wastling
- 11.00am Morning Prayer at St Margaret's, Long Riston
Mrs Audrey Ashcroft & Mrs Paula Evans
- 11.00am Holy Communion at All Saints, Rise
Rev Andy Simpson & Mrs Tessa Oram
- 11.00am Holy Communion at St Lawrence's, Sigglesothorne
Rev Mo Desborough

Please take this leaflet home with you.



This week's Bible Readings

Baptism of Jesus

Genesis 1: 1-5

Psalms 29

Acts 19: 1-7

Mark 1: 4-11

BCP Readings

Zech 8:1-8, Psalm 72:1-8, Rom 12:1-5, Luke 2:41-52

Collect

Baptism of Christ: Heavenly Father, at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son: may we recognise him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Epiphany: Creator of the Heavens, who lead the Magi by a star to worship the Christ child: guide and sustain us, that we may find our journey's end in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Lord of all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Epiphany

Isa 60:1-6

Psalm 72: 1-15

Eph 3:1-12

Matt 2:1-12

If you know of anyone who would like to have Home Communion or a visit please contact Revd Andy

Children are very welcome at all our services, but many of our beautiful church buildings are ancient and have uneven floors and exposed heating pipes. Please ensure your children's safety at all times.



Please pray for:

• the sick and those who care for them, including

Malcolm Head	Sara Lord	Sylvia Dickinson
Tilly	Elizabeth Dennison	Wendy & John
Terry Frost	Jacqui Parada	Ronnie Beaumont
Pete Dunn	Kevin	Karen
Gillian Brown	Andy and Michelle	Jane White
		Les Beckett

that they may receive healing and comfort

(Names normally remain on the prayer list for 3 months unless we receive a further request.)

• the members of the pastoral care group and those they visit

• in the York Diocese

St Timothy, Hemlington.

• within the Worldwide Church

Pray for the Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia.
Archbishop Winston Halapua.

Meetings &



Tue 9 Jan 9.30-11.30am	Cornerstone Christmas Coffee Shop at St Augustine's, Skirlaugh
Tue 9 Jan 7.30pm	St Augustine's, Skirlaugh JCC Meeting
Thu 11 Jan 2.00pm	Skirlaugh Pastoral Group meeting at "Ash-Lea"
Mon 22 Jan 7:30pm	St Margaret's Long Riston PCC Meeting
Weds 24 Jan 7:30pm	St John the Baptist, Bewholme PCC Meeting
Mon 29 Jan 7:30 pm	St Lawrence's Siggleshorne PCC Meeting
Thurs 1 Feb 7pm	St Mary's Swine & St James' New Ellerby PCC Meeting
Weds 7 Feb 1:30pm	St Michael's Catwick PCC Meeting